

COUNCIL CHAMBERS -- CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL -- CITY OF LODI

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 1939.

This regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi was called to order by the Mayor at 8:00 O'clock P.M. on Monday, January 16, 1939. Councilmen, Clark, Graffigna, Spooner, Weihe and Steele present, none absent.

The minutes of the last meeting held January 3rd were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

Miss Mary Rathbun representing several petitioners asked that the City Council consider ways and means for the City to acquire the old Salem School grounds as a public park and playground.

Representatives of the Lodi Motorcycle Club asked permission to use the unplanted portion of Pioneer Park for a club house and polo grounds. No objections were voiced by the City Council.

The Clerk read a letter from the Superintendent of the Southern Pacific Company promising to make immediate repairs to West Lockeford Street.

Notice of the next meeting of the Central Valley Division of the League of California Municipalities to be held in Gustine on January 19, 1939 was received.

A letter was received from F. E. Cooper regarding the care of parks and it appearing that copies had been furnished to the several members of the Council, reading was dispensed with and the matter taken under consideration.

The application of R. Ratliff for a magazine solicitor license was ordered continued for investigation.

Resolution No. 983 was introduced by Councilman Spooner, seconded by Councilman Weihe and read by the Clerk.

RESOLUTION NO. 983

IN THE MATTER OF THE PURCHASE OF NINETEEN
ACRES OF LAND FROM DIEDRICK B. DOEPKE, ET UX

WHEREAS, it is to the best interests of this City that said City acquire title to nineteen acres of land, more or less, situated in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 11, Township 3 North, Range 6 East M. D. S. & M., from DIEDRICK B. DOEPKE and DELLA E. DOEPKE, his wife, and,

WHEREAS, said Diedrick B. Doepke and Della E. Doepke, his wife, have made, executed and delivered to Stockton Abstract and Title Company, in escrow, (numbered 27012 in said title company's records), a deed to the said nineteen acres of land, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in the sum of \$6,000.00 payable to the said STOCKTON ABSTRACT AND TITLE COMPANY TO BE disbursed to said Doepke and wife and to holders of liens against said property in accordance with the letter of instructions hereto attached and made part hereof.

The foregoing Resolution No. 983 was then passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmen, Spooner, Weihe, Clark, Graffigna,
and Steele
NOES: Councilmen, None
ABSENT: Councilmen, None

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The Council then considered the adoption of Ordinance No. 249 relating to the licensing of bicycles and the Mayor presented a letter he had received from the Safety Council of the local High School asking that more severe inspection features be provided before the Ordinance be adopted. At the order of the Mayor the matter of the adoption of the Ordinance was laid over and the letter referred to the Committee on Public Health and Safety.

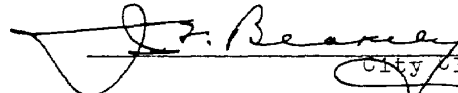
The application of the Lodi Union High School Band for an appropriation of \$300.00 was ordered continued until a later date.

On motion of Councilman Clark, seconded by Councilman Graffigna payment on the premium on the bond of William A. Cline as a deputy sheriff was authorized, it being expected that the amount of the payments would not exceed \$5.00.

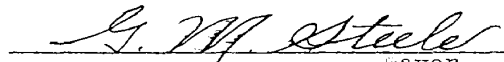
Bills in the amount of \$6,181.48 including the amount authorized by Resolution No. 983 were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on motion of Councilman Graffigna, seconded by Councilman Clark.

The Council then adjourned on motion of Councilman Weihe.

ATTEST:


City Clerk

The foregoing minutes of a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi were read and approved without correction at a subsequent meeting of said City Council held February 6, 1939.


Mayor.